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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<b>In re Application of:</b>	Frauendorfer
<b>Application No.:</b>	09/719,258
<b>Filed:</b>	Dec. 8, 2000
<b>For:</b>	Oral Dosage Form
<b>Examiner:</b>	Sharmila S. Gollamudi
<b>Group Art Unit:</b>	1616

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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**Amendment**

Dear Examiner Gollamudi:

In response to the office action mailed October 10, 2001 please amend the application as follows:

**In The Claims:**

Please replace claims 1-10 with amended claims 1-10, as follows:

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1. (Amended Once) ~~An oral dosage form for food, food supplements and dietetics comprising polyunsaturated fatty acids in a gelatine capsule which is xylose-hardened in order to slow down peroxidation of the polyunsaturated fatty acids.~~
  2. (Amended Once) The dosage form as recited in claim 1 comprising omega-3 polyunsaturated fatty acids with a high content of alpha linolenic acid.
  3. (Amended Once) The dosage form as recited in claim 1, wherein said gelatine capsule has a retarded release time of more than 45 minutes.
  4. (Amended Once) The dosage form according to claim 1, wherein said dosage form is operative against diseases of metabolism of fat and/or against intestinal inflammations.
  5. (Amended Once) The dosage form according to claim 1, wherein the gelatine capsule comprises one ingredient selected from the group consisting of fish oil, linseed oil and gamma linolenic acid.